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Dear Parents/ Guardians,

2023 Plan for Secondary Four Express & Five Normal Academic Chinese Language

Please be informed of the following semester plan for matters pertaining to Secondary Four Express and Secondary Five Normal Academic Chinese Language for your child/ ward in 2023.

1 Topics covered:

Semester 1

Topics	Chapter/ Textbook	Page no.
单元一：往事随想	Chapters 1 – 3	1 – 31
单元二：知识百科	Chapters 4 – 6	32 – 57
单元三：人生舞台	Chapters 7 – 9	58 – 82

Assessment Plan

Semester	Semester 1		Semester 2
Term	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3
Types of Assessment	WA1	WA2	Preliminary Examination
Weightage	15%	15%	70%
Tentative Date	Term 1 Week 3 (16 - 20 Jan)	Term 2 Week 1 (20 - 24 Mar)	Term 3 Week 9 - 10 (21 - 30 Aug)
Topics Covered	To be advised by teacher closer to the date	To be advised by teacher closer to the date	Refer to Prelim Exam Format
Assessment Mode	Written	Written	Written, Oral, LC

2 Details of Preliminary Assessment

Components			Date	Guidelines
<u>Paper 1 (60 marks) Duration: 2 hours</u>			To be advised	<ul style="list-style-type: none">All topics covered in semesters 1&2 as well as in previous years may be assessedPrelim constitutes to 70% of overall marksStudents are allowed to use Chinese dictionaries approved by SEAB in Paper 1Minimum number of words for email and compo is 150 and 300 respectively
Section	Details	Marks		
1	Email (choose 1 out of 2 questions)	20		
2	Composition (choose 1 out of 3 questions)	40		
<u>Paper 2 (70 marks) Duration: 1.5 hours</u>				
Section	Details	Marks		
1	Cloze Passage (MCQ)	10		
2	Comprehension (MCQ)	20		
3	Written Comprehension	40		
<u>Paper 3: Oral Exam (50 marks)</u>				
Section	Details	Marks		
1	Reading	10		
2	Conversation (Based on video stimulus)	40		
<u>Paper 3: Listening Comprehension (20 marks) Duration: 30 min</u>				
1	Comprehension (MCQ)	20		

3 Absence from tests

- Medical certificates must be produced if your child/ ward is absent for the test.
- Parent's letter is strongly discouraged and its validity will be approved based on a case-by-case basis.
- Absence from any test without a valid reason and refusal to submit work will result in zero mark for the test/ assignment.
- Do note that your child/ ward will have to do a make-up test on the day he/she returns to school.

We look forward to your continual and strong support for your child/ward. This will definitely help him/her better prepare for the heavy academic demands in 2023.

Do feel free to contact your child's/ ward's Chinese Language teacher should you need further clarification on this matter.

Thank you.